

## State of New Hampshire

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

Certain Classified Employees of the
Public Utilities Commission

Petitioner

v.

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Case No. S-0419-1

SEA of NH, Inc., Local 1984, SEIU

Respondent

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## ORDER RE: STATE EMPLOYEES' ASSOCIATION OF NEW HAMPSHIRE INC., SEIU LOCAL 1984'S OBJECTION TO CONDUCT OF PRE-ELECTION CONFERENCE

Decision No. 2007-168

On November 28, 2007 at approximately 3:41 PM the State Employees' Association of New Hampshire, SEIU Local 1984, (hereinafter the "SEIU") filed an "Objection to Conduct of Pre-Election Conference." A copy of the SEIU electronic filing is attached.

This matter is presently scheduled for informal pre-election conference on December 5, 2007 following a decision of the Supreme Court remanding this matter for a new election. (See <u>Appeal of State Employees' Association of New Hampshire, Inc.</u>, Docket No. 2007-105, decided November 9, 2007).

The PELRB is obligated by the remand order of the Supreme Court and its own rules, pursuant to Admin R. Pub 303.02 Pre-Election Conference, to:

as expeditiously as possible, conduct a pre-election conference at which the election date, eligibility period for voting by new employees, voting times, polling places and

other election procedures not inconsistent with RSA 273-A or these rules shall be determined.

In light of these circumstances the PELRB finds that it is necessary to require the original petitioners and any intervenors to file any response to the SEIU objection forthwith so that this matter on remand from the Supreme Court can proceed in a timely, orderly, and efficient manner and in particular so that the SEA's objection is addressed as soon as practicable. Accordingly, any objections to the SEA's objection, attached and made a part of this order, shall be filed on or before December 4, 2007.

So ordered. November 29, 2007.

> Donald E. Mitchell, Esq. Hearing Officer

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